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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 07/03/00

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DEAR SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated July 3, 2000, please amend the above identified application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Before "DISPOSABLE" insert --SMOOTH SPOUT--

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1, Line 3, change "rim" to --a top of said clamp--;

NC Line 5, after "port" insert --, said spout being entirely above said clamp--.

REMARKS

The Examiner indicates that the title of the invention is not descriptive and should include at least one feature of the claimed invention. The title has accordingly been